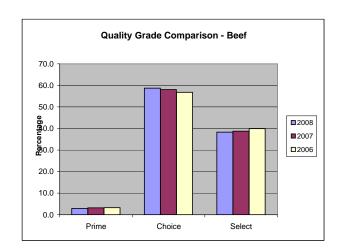
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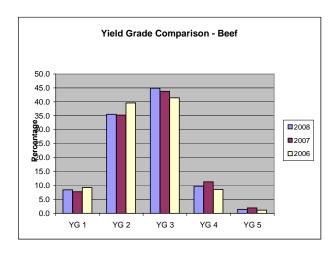
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		Y	IELD GRADE			TOTAL	% OF	% OF TOTAL	
QUALITY						QUALITY	QUALITY	ALL	STEER AND
GRADE	#1	#2	#3	#4	#5	ONLY	GRADED	QUALITY	HEIFER
							THIS PD	GRADED	OFFERED
PRIME	223	4,894	20,097	8,295	1,910	7,362	42,782	2.9	2.6
CHOICE	27,117	238,999	434,377	101,517	15,016	46,568	863,594	58.7	53.3
SELECT	78,477	248,443	182,336	28,701	2,985	21,906	562,847	38.3	34.7
STANDARD	13	43	54	12	0	104	227	0.0	0.0
COMMERCIAL	0	11	36	29	3	1	80	0.0	
UTILITY	0	122	361	183	14	2	683	0.0	
CUTTER	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
CANNER	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
YIELD ONLY	17,110	24,730	16,459	3,294	591				
TOTAL YIELD									
GRADED THIS									
PERIOD	122,940	517,242	653,720	142,031	20,519				
% OF ALL									
YIELD GRADED	8.4	35.5	44.9	9.8	1.4				

94.6% of Federal Inspected Steer and Heifers offered represents total Steers and Heifers Graded.

0.3% of Federal Inspected Cows offered represents total Cows graded.

80.8% of Federal Inspected Beef offered represents total Beef (Steers, Heifers, and Cows) graded.





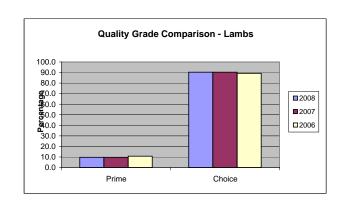
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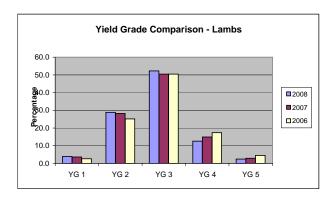
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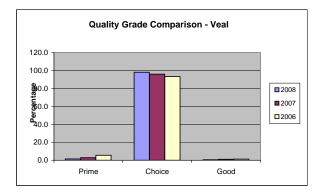
		Y		TOTAL	% OF			
QUALITY GRADE	#1	#2	#3	#4	#5	QUALITY ONLY	QUALITY GRADED THIS PD	ALL QUALITY GRADED
PRIME	0	176	563	198	52	0	989	9.
CHOICE	398	2,753	4,740	1,076	194	0	9,161	90.3
GOOD	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
UTILITY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
CULL	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
YIELD ONLY	0	0	0	0	0			
TOTAL YIELD GRADED THIS PERIOD	398	2,929	5,303	1,275	245			
% OF ALL YIELD GRADED	3.9	28.9	52.2	12.6	2.4			

VEAL AND CA	LF	
QUALITY GRADE	TOTAL THIS PD	%
PRIME CHOICE GOOD STANDARD UTILITY	45 3,088 15 0	1.4 98.1 0.5 0.0
TOTAL	3,147	100.0
32.0% and Calf offere total Veal and	•	
TOTAL BULL/I	BULLOCK	0

78.3% of Federal Inspected Lamb offered represents total Lambs Graded.







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		Υ	IELD GRADE				TOTAL	% OF	% OF TOTAL		
QUALITY GRADE	#1	#2	#3	#4	#5	QUALITY ONLY	QUALITY GRADED THIS PD	ALL QUALITY GRADED	STEER AND HEIFER OFFERED		
PRIME CHOICE	272 33,044	5,964 291,238	24,490 529,320	10,108 123,706	2,328 18,298	8,971 56,747	52,133 1,052,353	2.9% 58.7%	2.6 53.3		
SELECT	95,630	302,746	222,190	34,974	3,637	26,694	685,871	38.2%	34.7		
STANDARD	16	53	66	15	0	127	277	0.0%	0.0		
COMMERCIAL	0	18	58	48	5	2	131	0.0%	0.0		
JTILITY	0	199	589	298	23	4	1,113	0.0%			
CUTTER	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0%			
CANNER	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0%			
YIELD ONLY	20,850	30,135	20,057	4,014	720						
TOTAL YIELD GRADED THIS											
PERIOD	149,812	630,353	796,770	173,163	25,011						
% OF ALL											
	8.4%	35.5%	44 8%	9.7%	1 4%						
YIELD GRADED	8.4%	35.5%	44.8%	9.7%	1.4%						
		35.5%	44.8%	9.7%	1.4%				VEAL AND CALF	-	
YIELD GRADED  LAMB AND MUTTO			44.8% IELD GRADE	9.7%	1.4%		TOTAL	% OF			
YIELD GRADED  LAMB AND MUTTO				9.7%	1.4%	QUALITY ONLY	TOTAL QUALITY GRADED THIS PD	% OF ALL QUALITY GRADED	VEAL AND CALF QUALITY GRADE	TOTAL THIS PD	%
YIELD GRADED  LAMB AND MUTTO	ON	Y	IELD GRADE				QUALITY GRADED	ALL QUALITY	QUALITY	TOTAL	%
YIELD GRADED  LAMB AND MUTTO  QUALITY GRADE	ON	Y	IELD GRADE				QUALITY GRADED	ALL QUALITY	QUALITY GRADE	TOTAL THIS PD	
YIELD GRADED  LAMB AND MUTTO  QUALITY GRADE  PRIME	DN #1	<u>Y</u> #2	IELD GRADE #3	#4	#5	ONLY	QUALITY GRADED THIS PD	ALL QUALITY GRADED	QUALITY GRADE PRIME	TOTAL THIS PD	1.4
LAMB AND MUTTO  QUALITY GRADE  PRIME CHOICE	#1 3	#2 2,586	#3 8,242	#4	#5	ONLY 0	QUALITY GRADED THIS PD	ALL QUALITY GRADED	QUALITY GRADE PRIME CHOICE	TOTAL THIS PD 260 18,004	1.4 98.1 0.4
LAMB AND MUTTO  QUALITY GRADE  PRIME CHOICE GOOD UTILITY	#1 3 5,834 0	#2 2,586 40,333 0	#3 8,242 69,451	#4 2,905 15,772	#5 757 2,838 0	ONLY  0 0 0 0	QUALITY GRADED THIS PD 14,493 134,228 0 0	ALL QUALITY GRADED 9.7% 90.2%	QUALITY GRADE PRIME CHOICE GOOD	TOTAL THIS PD 260 18,004 85	1.4 98.1 0.4 0.0
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